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Unmanaged Industrial 4-Port Mid-Span POE PSE

User Manual & Installation Guide

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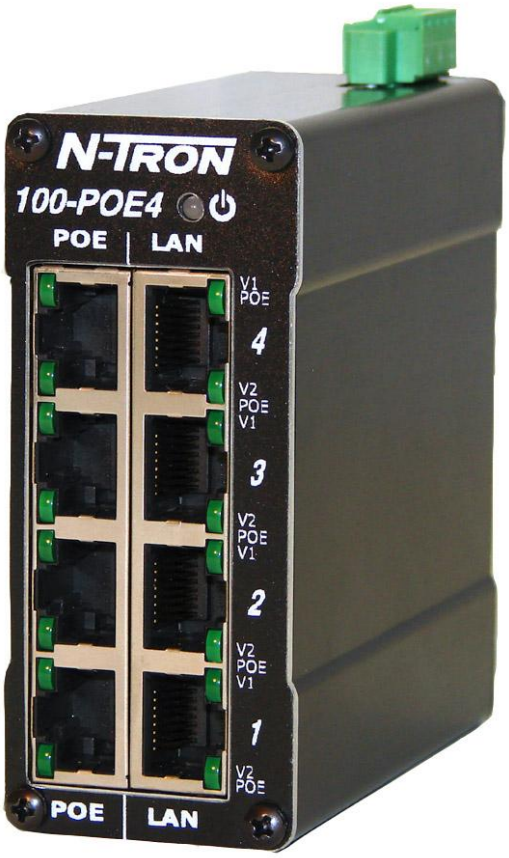

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GENERAL SAFETY WARNINGS

WARNING: Do not operate the equipment in the presence of flammable gasses or fumes. Operating electrical equipment in such an environment constitutes a definite safety hazard.

WARNING: If the equipment is used in the manner not specified by N-TRON Corp., the protection provided by the equipment may be impaired.

WARNING: Do not perform any services on the unit unless qualified to do so. Do not substitute unauthorized parts or make unauthorized modifications to the unit.

WARNING: Do not operate the unit with the end plates removed, as this could create a shock or fire hazard.

WARNING: Properly ground the unit before connecting anything else to the unit. Units not properly grounded may result in a safety risk and could be hazardous and may void the warranty. See the grounding technique section of this user manual for proper ways to ground the unit.

WARNING: Do not operate the equipment in a manner not specified by this manual.

ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY WARNINGS

WARNING: Disconnect the power and allow to cool 5 minutes before touching.

ELECTRICAL SAFETY WARNINGS

WARNING: Disconnect the power cable before removing the end plates.

WARNING: Do not operate the unit with the end plates removed.

WARNING: Do not work on equipment or cables during periods of lightning activity.

WARNING: Do not perform any services on the unit unless qualified to do so.

WARNING: Observe proper DC Voltage polarity when installing power input cables. Reversing voltage polarity can cause permanent damage to the unit and void the warranty.

HAZARDOUS LOCATION INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

1. This equipment is suitable for use in Class I, Div 2, Groups A, B, C, and D, or unclassified or non-hazardous locations only.

2. **WARNING:** Explosion Hazard - Substitution of components may impair suitability for Class I, Division 2.

3. **WARNING:** Explosion hazard, do not disconnect while the circuit is live or unless the area is known to be non-hazardous.

4. **WARNING:** Explosion Hazard - Do not remove or replace the device unless power has been switched off or the area is known to be non-hazardous.

5. Use 60/75ºC rated Copper wire, (0.22Nm) 2 inch-lbs Tightening torque for field installed connectors.

6. **WARNING:** Install only in accordance with Local & National Codes of Authorities Having Jurisdiction.

7. Class I, Div 2 installations require that all devices connected to this product must be UL listed for the area in which it is installed.

8. **WARNING:** Damage may occur to the RJ-45 port of the powered device (PD), if the 100-POE4 is not powered down before disconnecting the Cat5E cable.

Functional Overview

The 100-POE4 industrial 4-port Mid-Span POE PSE is designed to provide power over Ethernet for POE capable devices where running a power line is either not possible or not cost effective. This feature allows an end user to power a POE camera, wireless access point, or any other POE capable device without the need for running separate wires for power. This also allows the ability for a centralized battery backup for all these devices.

Key Features

- Compact, space saving package
- IEEE 802.3af Compliant
- Four 10/100Base-TX RJ-45 Ports (DATA IN)
- Four 10/100Base-TX RJ-45 POE Ports (DATA & POWER OUT)
- Unmanaged operation
- Extended Environmental Specifications
  -40°C to 85°C Operating and Storage Temperature
- Operating Humidity: 10% to 90% (Non Condensing)
- Full Wire Speed Communications
- LED POE Status Indication
- Power Fault Status LEDs
- Up to 0.8 Gb/s Maximum Throughput
- Industry Standard 35mm DIN Rail Mounted Enclosure
- Redundant power inputs (46-49 VDC)
- Supports up to 15.4Watts per channel (13 Watts at the Powered Device (PD))
- Hardened metal DIN Rail Enclosure

PACKAGE CONTENTS

Please make sure the package contains the following items:

1. 100-POE4
2. Instruction Sheet

Contact your carrier if any items are damaged.

UNPACKING

Remove all the equipment from the packaging, and store the packaging in a safe place. File any damage claims with the carrier.

CLEANING

Clean only with a damp cloth.

INSTALLATION

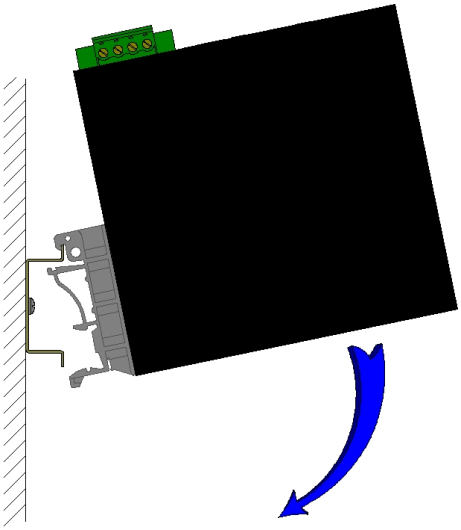
Read the following warnings before beginning the installation:

WARNING

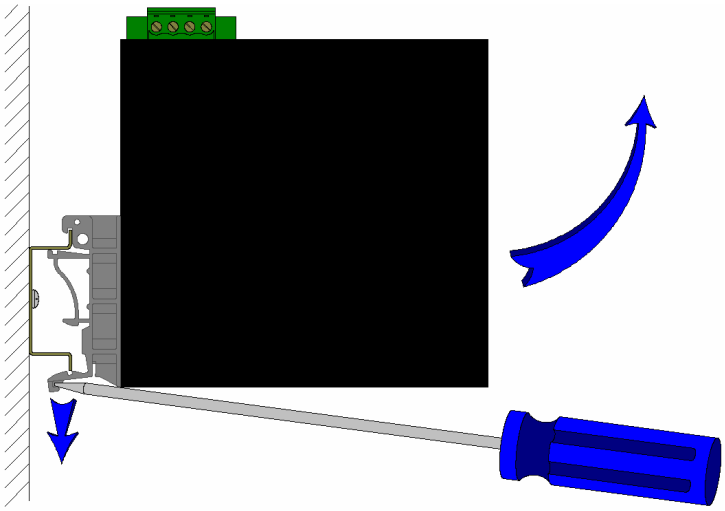
Never install or work on electrical equipment or cabling during periods of lightning activity. Never connect or disconnect power when hazardous gasses are present.

DIN-Rail Mounting

Install the unit in a standard DIN rail. Recess the unit to allow at least 2” of horizontal clearance for CAT5e cable bend radius.



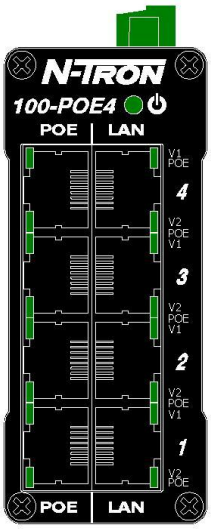
To install the unit to 35mm industrial DIN rail, place the top edge of the included mounting bracket on the back of the unit against the DIN rail at a 15° angle as shown. Rotate the bottom of the unit to the back (away from you) until it snaps into place.



To remove the unit from the 35mm industrial DIN rail, place a flat head screwdriver into the release clip found at the bottom of the unit, and apply downward force on the clip until it disengages from the bottom of the unit from the DIN rail. Rotate the bottom of the unit towards you and up at an approximate 15° upward angle to completely remove the unit.

Most N-Tron™ products are designed to be mounted on industry standard 35mm DIN rail. However, DIN rail mounting may not be suitable for all applications. Our Universal Rack Mount Kit (P/N: URMK) may be used to mount the 100-POE4 enclosures to standard 19" racks as an option.

FRONT PANEL



From Top to Bottom:

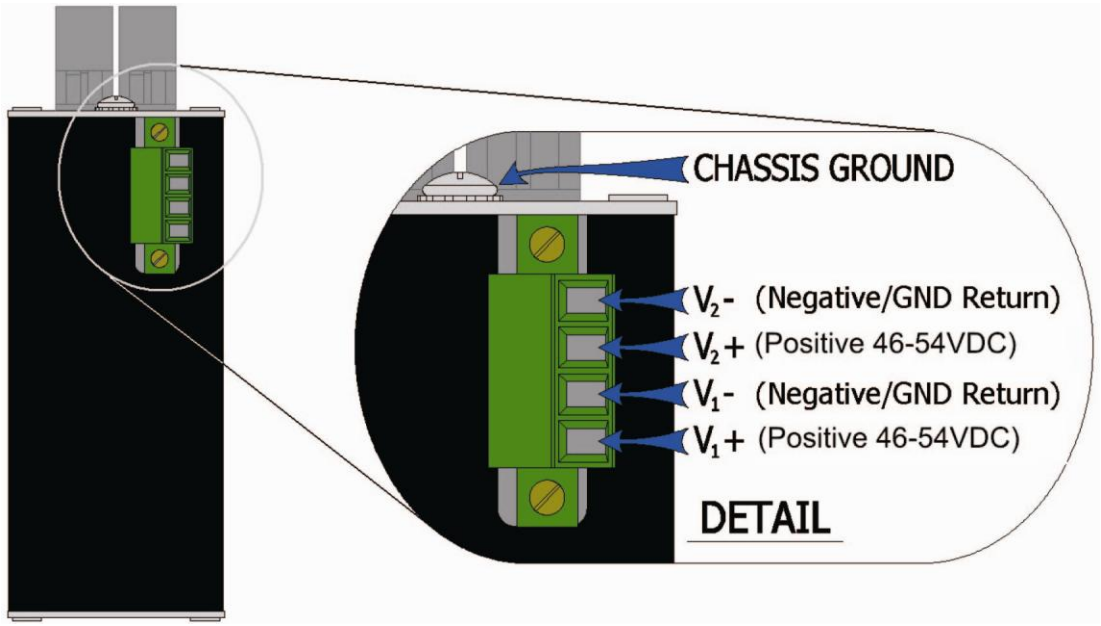
⏻	Power LED
V1 POE	POE is being applied on the respective port with V1 as a valid source of power.
V2 POE	is being applied on the respective port with V2 as a valid source of power.

LEDs: The table below describes the operating modes (Port LEDs are for power supply status only and do NOT indicate link or activity):

LED	Color	Description
⏻	Green	Valid Power (46-54 VDC) is applied
	Red	Invalid Power (<46 VDC) is applied or Power Bus Fault detected
	OFF	No Power is applied to the device
V1 POE	Green	POE is being applied on the respective port with V1 as a valid source of power
	Blinking	POE PD detected with improper power classification
	OFF	POE is not being applied on the respective port from the V1 power input
V2 POE	Green	POE is being applied on the respective port with V2 as a valid source of power
	Blinking	POE PD detected with improper power classification
	OFF	POE is not being applied on the respective port from the V2 power input

Note: Redundant power inputs will not balance the power load. Only load from one power supply is used at a time.

APPLYING POWER (Top View)



Unscrew & Remove the DC Voltage Input Plug from the top header.
Install the DC Power Cables into the Plug (observing polarity on unit).
Plug the Voltage Input Plug back into the top header.
Tightening torque for the terminal block power plug is **0.22 Nm/0.162 Pound Foot**.
Turn the power on the wire.
Note: It is only safe to turn the power on the wires after the wires have been secured to the 100-POE4.
WARNING: Inserting the input plug while the 48VDC is applied may cause arcing, and damage the input connector permanently.

Verify the Power LED stays ON (GREEN).

Note: Either V_1 or V_2 can be connected to power for minimal operation. For redundant power operation, V_1 and V_2 plugs must be connected to separate DC Voltage sources. Use wire sizes of 20-10 gauge. The power cord should be limited to less than 10 meters in order to ensure optimum performance.

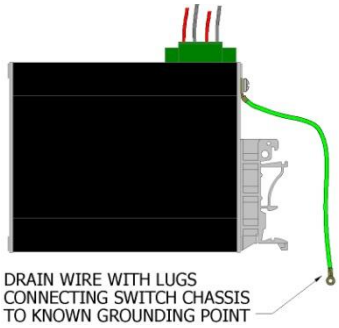
Recommended 48V DC Power Supplies, similar to:

100-240VAC:

N-Tron NTPS-48-5, DC 48V/5A

N-TRON 100-POE4 MID-SPAN POE GROUNDING TECHNIQUES

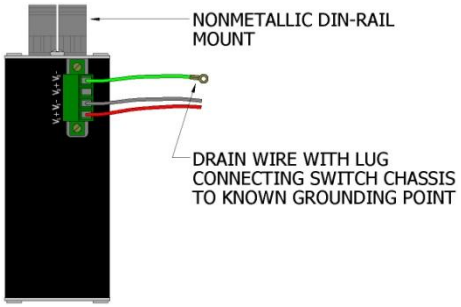
The grounding philosophy of any control system is an integral part of the design. N-Tron switches are designed to be grounded, but the user has been given the flexibility to float the switch when required. The best noise immunity and emissions (i.e. CE) are obtained when the N-Tron switch chassis is connected to earth ground via a drain wire. Some N-Tron switches have metal din-rail brackets that can ground the switch if the din-rail is grounded. In some cases, N-Tron switches with metal brackets can be supplied with optional plastic brackets if isolation is required.



Users may run a drain wire & lug from the screw provided on the back face of the enclosure. In the event the provided grounding screw has been lost, care should be taken to limit the penetration of the outer skin by less than 1/4". Failure to do so may cause irreversible damage to the internal components of the switch.

Note: Ensure the power supply is grounded properly before applying power to the grounded switch. This may be verified by using a voltmeter to determine that there is no voltage difference between the power supply's negative output terminal and the chassis grounding point of the switch.

As an alternative grounding method, both V- legs of the power input connector are connected to chassis internally on the PCB. Connecting a drain wire to earth ground from one of the V- terminal plugs as shown here will ground the switch and the chassis. The power leads from the power source should be limited to 3 meters or less in length.

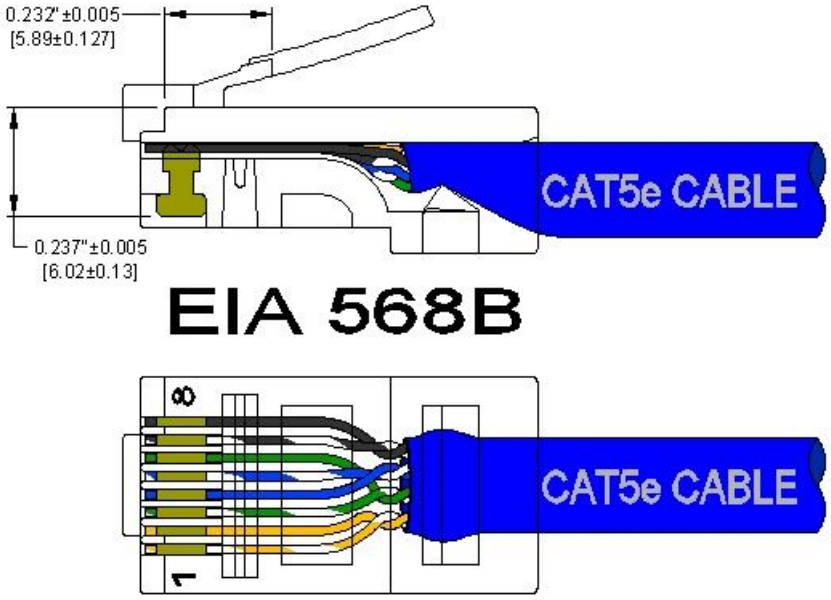


If the use of shielded cables is required, it is generally recommended to only connect the shield at one end to prevent ground loops and interfere with low level signals (i.e. thermocouples, RTD, etc.). Cat5e cables manufactured to EIA-568A or 568B specifications are required for use with N-Tron Switches.

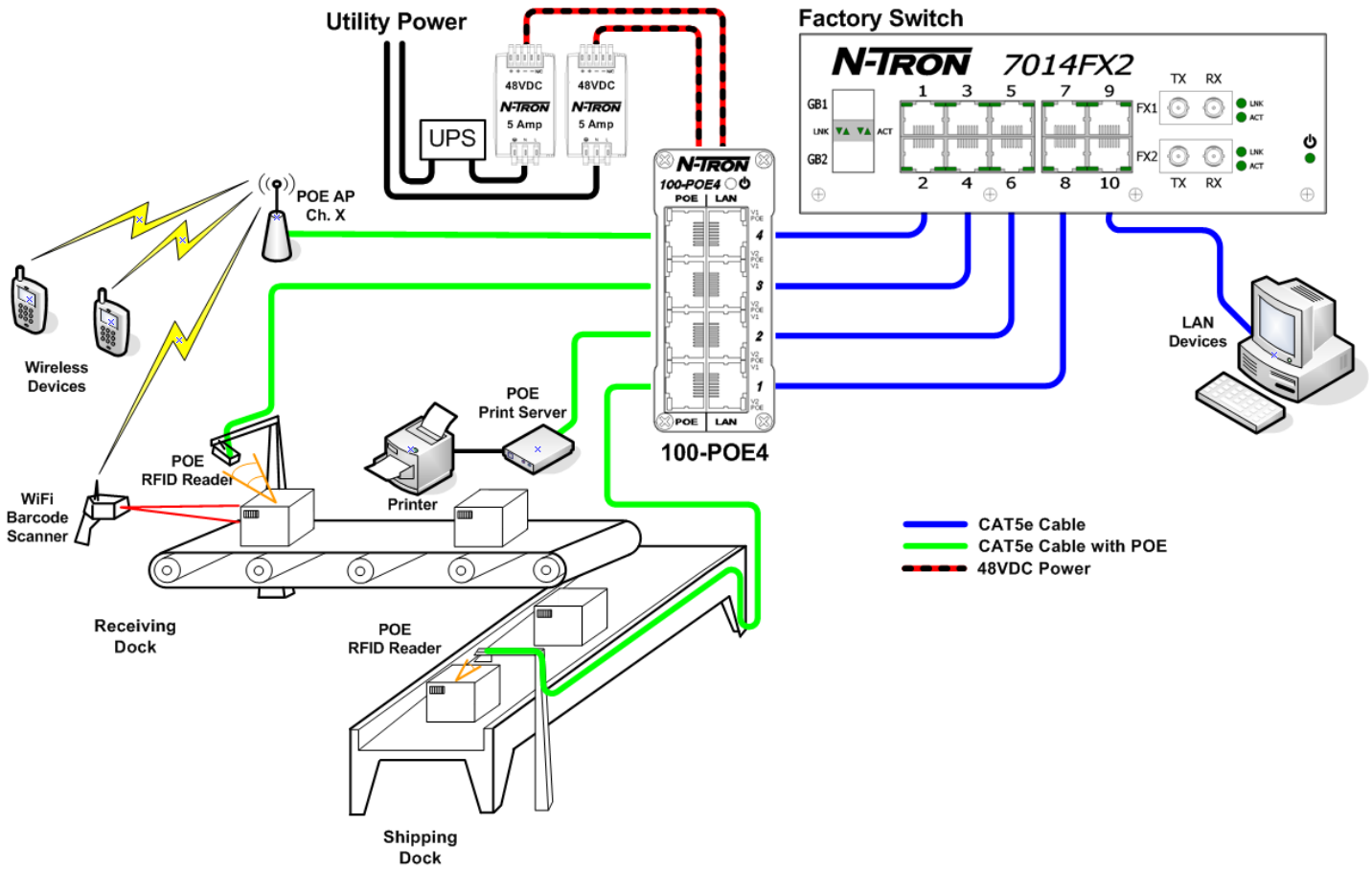
In the event all Cat5e patch cable distances are small (i.e. All Ethernet devices are located the same local cabinet and/or referenced to the same earth ground), it is permissible to use fully shielded cables terminated to chassis ground at both ends in systems void of low level analog signals.

RJ45 CONNECTOR CRIMP SPECIFICATIONS

Please reference the illustration below for your Cat5 cable specifications:



TYPICAL APPLICATION



CONNECTING THE UNIT

For 10Base-T ports, plug a Category 3 (or greater) twisted pair cable into the RJ45 connector. For 100Base-T ports, plug a Category 5 (or greater) twisted pair cable into the RJ45 connector. Connect the other end to the far end station. The total length of cable should not exceed 100 meters. Although power is being applied to the Ethernet port, the power does not boost data on the lines.

TROUBLESHOOTING

1. Make sure the ⏻ (Power LED) is ON.
2. Make sure you are supplying sufficient current for the 100-POE4 and all the powered devices plugged into it. **Note: The inrush current and steady state current is dependent on the power requirements of the powered devices plugged into the 100-POE4**.
3. Verify that the POE light is on solid for the port in question.
4. Verify cabling used between stations. (The 100-POE4 is a mid-span PSE, not a POE switch).
5. Verify that cabling is Category 3 or greater for 10Mbit Operation.

FCC STATEMENT

This product complies with Part 15 of the FCC-A Rules.
Operation is subject to the following conditions:
(1) This device may not cause harmful interference
(2) This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this device in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

INDUSTRY CANADA

This Class A digital apparatus meets all requirements of the Canadian Interference Causing Equipment Regulations. Operation is subject to the following two conditions; (1) this device digital apparatus meets all requirements of the Canadian Interference Causing Equipment Regulations. Operation is subject to the following two conditions; (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Cet appareillage numérique de la classe A répond à toutes les exigences de l'interférence canadienne causant des règlements d'équipement. L'opération est sujette aux deux conditions suivantes: (1) ce dispositif peut ne pas causer l'interférence nocive, et (2) ce dispositif doit accepter n'importe quelle interférence reçue, y compris l'interférence qui peut causer l'opération peu désirée.

Regulatory Approvals:

Safety: UL Listed per ANSI/ISA-12.12.01-2000 (US and Canada) and is listed for use in Class I, Div 2, Groups A, B, C, D, T4A

EMI: EN 61000-6-4, EN 55011 - Class A
FCC Title 47, Part 15, Subpart B - Class A
ICES-003 – Class A

EMS: EN 61000-6-2
IEC 61000-4-2 (ESD)
IEC 61000-4-3 (RS)
IEC 61000-4-4 (EFT)
IEC 61000-4-5 (Surge)
IEC 61000-4-6 (Conducted Disturbances)

Warranty: 3 years from the date of purchase.

KEY SPECIFICATIONS

Physical

Height:	3.5” (8.89cm)
Width:	1.489” (3.78cm)
Depth:	3.53” (8.96cm)
Weight:	0.7 lbs. (0.31kg)
DIN-Rail:	35mm

Electrical

Input Voltage:	46-49 VDC
Steady Input Current:	1.6 A @ 48 VDC (under full load)
Steady Input Current:	30 mA @ 48 VDC (under no load)
Inrush Current:	27 Amp/1.5 ms @ 48VDC (under full load)
	24 Amp/1.5 ms @ 48VDC (under no load)
Input Ripple:	Less than 100 mV
Input Wire Size:	20-10 AWG

Environmental

Operating Temperature:	-40°C to 85°C
Storage Temperature:	-40°C to 85°C
Operating Humidity:	10% to 90% (Non Condensing)
Operating Altitude:	0 to 10,000 ft.

Network Media

10BaseT:	> Cat-3 Cable
100BaseT:	> Cat-5 Cable

Connectors

10/100BaseTX:	Eight (8) RJ45 TX Copper Ports

Recommended Minimum Wiring Clearance:

Top: 1 " (2.54 cm)
Front: 2 " (5.08 cm)

N-TRON Limited Warranty

N-TRON, Corp. warrants to the end user that this hardware product will be free from defects in workmanship and materials, under normal use and service, for the applicable warranty period from the date of purchase from N-TRON or its authorized reseller. If a product does not operate as warranted during the applicable warranty period, N-TRON shall, at its option and expense, repair the defective product or part, deliver to customer an equivalent product or part to replace the defective item, or refund to customer the purchase price paid for the defective product. All products that are replaced will become the property of N-TRON. Replacement products may be new or reconditioned. Any replaced or repaired product or part has a ninety (90) day warranty or the remainder of the initial warranty period, whichever is longer. N-TRON shall not be responsible for any custom software or firmware, configuration information, or memory data of customer contained in, stored on, or integrated with any products returned to N-TRON pursuant to any warranty.

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